GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Management of Construction Waste
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government has taken help from foreign countries to find the solution for management of construction waste generated in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has set up or proposes to set up recycling plants for construction waste in the country including in Tamil Nadu; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a)&(b): The Central Public Works Department (CPWD), Ministry of Urban Development has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on 25.2.2016 with Stiftelsen SINTEF Institute for Building and Infrastructure, a scientific research organisation situated at Oslo, Norway for human resource development and capacity building in the area of recycling of C&D (Construction & demolition) waste.

(c)&(d): The States & ULBs responsible the activities of building construction are setting up C&D Waste recycling plants as per requirements under the Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules, 2016 published by Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change.

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